

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the section of "Brief Description of the Drawings" as follows:

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FIG. 1 is a schematic perspective view of a light source device according to the invention;

FIG. 2 is a schematic illustration of a couple of elongated prisms of a light deflector according to the invention that are arranged at an light input surface thereof, showing their profiles;

FIG. 3 is a schematic illustration of the distribution of light emitted from a light deflector;

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FIG. 5 is a schematic illustration of the distribution of light emitted from a light deflector;

FIG. 6 is a schematic illustration of the distribution of light emitted from a light deflector;

FIG. 7 is a schematic illustration of the distribution of light emitted from a light deflector;

FIG. 8 is a schematic illustration of the distribution of light emitted from a light deflector;

FIG. 9 is a schematic illustration of the distribution of light emitted from a light deflector;

FIG. 10 is a schematic illustration of the distribution of light emitted from a light deflector;

FIG. 11 is a schematic illustration of the distribution of light emitted from a light deflector;

FIG. 12 is a schematic illustration of the distribution of light emitted from a light deflector;

FIG. 13 is a schematic illustration of the distribution of light emitted from a light deflector;

FIG. 14 is a schematic illustration of the distribution of light emitted from a light deflector;

FIG. 15 is a schematic illustration of refraction of light and length of a prism face in cross section of an elongated prism that can vary depending on the angle of inclination of the prism face;

FIG. 16 is another schematic illustration of refraction of light and length of a prism face in cross section of an elongated prism that can vary depending on the angle of inclination of the prism face;

FIG. 17 is a schematic illustration of a couple of elongated prisms of the light deflector according to the invention that are arranged at the light input surface thereof, showing their profiles;

FIG. 18 is a schematic perspective view of a substantially spot-shaped light source arranged adjacent to a corner section of a light guide;

FIG. 19 is a schematic illustration of the full width at half maximum of the distribution of emitted light; [[and]]

FIG. 20 is a schematic illustration of a couple of elongated prisms of the light deflector according to the invention that are arranged at the light input surface thereof, showing their profiles;

FIG. 21 is a schematic illustration of a profile formed by connecting in order the adjacent two of sixteen points;

FIG. 22 is a schematic illustration of a profile formed by connecting in order the adjacent two of thirteen points;

FIG. 23 is a schematic illustration of a profile formed by connecting in order the adjacent two of twelve points;

FIG. 24 is a schematic illustration of an edge line formed by two prism faces of each of the elongated prisms; and

FIG. 25 is a schematic illustration of two prism faces of each of the elongated prisms.--